

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The newspaper/broadcast

cross-ownership cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

News coverage on the major networks has become much like a "Fluff" sandwich, volume lacking nourishment. I find because of the lack of diversity and lack of meaningful information, I have been turning the TV off more often than ever before. Pretty soon I'm going to get rid of my DISH altogether. Too high a price to pay for basically 150 same-minded channels.